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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Seung-Ho Hong et al. Attorney Docket No: MESO0026
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Title: INTEGRAL COMPACT HEAT EXCHANGER AND CATALYTIC REACTOR
FOR SCAVENGING CONTAMINANTS FROM AIR

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH A
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Bellevue, Washington 98004

April 6, 2005

TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 7, 2004, a Request for Continued Examination is submitted concurrently with this Preliminary Amendment. Applicants request that the above-identified application be amended as set forth below and that the Examiner consider the application in view of these amendments and the Remarks that follow. The claims are amended as set forth below.